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SUBJ: VENEZUELAN RESOLUTION ON CHILE

1. AFTER DISCUSSIONS WITH VENEZUELA, JAMAICA AND DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, WE DECIDED TO LEAVE RESOLUTION OF VENEZUELA EXACTLY AS DEPARTMENT HAS IT (GRENADA 0037), WITH EXCEPTION OF PARAGRAPH 4 WHICH WOULD READ: "TO THANK THE INTER-AMERICAN COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS FOR ITS 'THIRD REPORT ON THE STATUS OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN CHILE' AND REQUEST THE GOVERNMENT OF CHILE TO CONTINUE ITS WORK IN THE ESTABLISHMENT OF FULL EXERCISE OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN CHILE AND INFORM THE COMMISSION REGARDING PROGRESS ACHIEVED."

2. WE DISCUSSED PROPOSED CHANGE WITH CHILE. THEY WERE PLEASED WITH OUR INITIATIVE BUT HAD PROBLEMS WITH OTHER PARTS OF THE VENEZUELAN RESOLUTION. IN PRINCIPLE, HOWEVER, THEY ACCEPTED OUR PROPOSAL AD REFERENDUM TO MINISTER CARVAJAL.

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3. AFTER HURRIED CONVERSATIONS, CHILE RETURNED WITH ITS COUNTER PROPOSAL: A) TO ADD FINAL PHRASE TO PARAGRAPH FOUR WHICH WOULD THEN READ: "AGRADECER A LA CIDH SU TERCER INFORME SOBRE LA SITUACION DE LOS DERECHOS HUMANOS EN CHILE Y SOLICITAR AL GOBIERNO DE CHILE QUE CONTINUE SU TRABAJO EN EL ESTABLECIMIENTO PLENO DE LOS DERECHOS

HUMANOS EN CHILE E INFORME A LA CIDH DEL PROGRESO ALCAN-
ZADO, DE LO QUE SE DARA CUENTA POR ELLA EN SU INFORME
ANUAL"; AND B) THAT IN THE HORTATORY SECTION OF THE
VENEZUELAN RESOLUTION WE ELIMINATE PHRASE "THERE CONTINUE
TO BE CONSIDERABLE VIOLATIONS OF ITS RIGHTS" AND
SUBSTITUTE THE LANGUAGE: "QUE EL INFORME CITADO LLEGA
A CONCLUSIONES QUE PONEN DE MANIFIESTO QUE SI BIEN DURANTE
EL PERIODO 1976-77, EN COMPARACION CON LOS PERIODOS
ANTERIORES, HAN DISMINUIDO LAS DENUNCIAS DE VIOLACIONES
DE DERECHOS HUMANOS, AUN PERSISTEN ALGUNOS CASOS EN ESTE
CAMPO QUE NO HAN SIDO SUFICIENTEMENTE ACLARADOS."

4. AFTER CONSULTATIONS WITH VENEZUELA AND JAMAICA WE
DECIDED WE COULD ACCEPT AN APPROXIMATION OF THE CHILEAN
SUGGESTION FOR PARAGRAPH 4 TO BE WORKED OUT BUT THAT WE
WOULD REJECT CATEGORICALLY ANY WEAKENING OF THE THIRD
HORTATORY PARAGRAPH.

5. THE CHILEAN REPS WENT TO GREAT LENGTH TO CONVINCE
US OF THE DELICATE POSITION OF "PROGRESSIVE ELEMENTS"
IN THE GOVERNMENT. THEY STATED PINOCHET WAS CONVINCED
A) THAT THE AMERICANS HAD NO USE FOR CHILE AND HE
PREFERRED THEY NOT TALK TO AMERICANS ANY MORE; B) THAT
PINOCHET THOUGHT IT WAS A MISTAKE TO HAVE ANYTHING TO DO
WITH INTERNATIONAL BODIES IN GENERAL AND HUMAN RIGHTS
COMMISSIONS IN PARTICULAR; AND 3) THAT HE COULD NOT
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TOLERATE STATEMENT IN RESOLUTION TO EFFECT THAT THERE
CONTINUE TO BE A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF VIOLATIONS IN CHILE.
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